

## LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS BAD

IMPROVED UNION INTERNATIONAL  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL  
LESSON**

Says 65 Year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved  
After a Few Days of Black-Draught.

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 22  
THE BIRTH OF JESUS

LESSON TEXT—Luke 2:1-5  
In the fifth month, Elizabeth conceived, and she bore a son, and she called his name John.

Elizabeth, the wife of Zachariah, was a woman of about 65 years of age, and she was a native of Kentucky. She was a very pious woman, and she was very kind to all who came to her. She was a very good mother, and she was a very good wife. She was a very good friend, and she was a very good neighbor. She was a very good citizen, and she was a very good patriot. She was a very good Christian, and she was a very good servant of God.

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## The Bank of Appomattox

Capital \$20,000 Surplus and Profits \$28,000  
Total Resources \$348,000

ORGANIZED 1901, this strong, safe institution, having as its motto "Safety First," has steadily grown in strength and usefulness to this community and county at large.

We are in a position to give the very best service to our patrons, having only recently installed a Ledger Posting Machine which is equipped with steel brains, which means that every calculation on your checking account is absolutely correct, and that monthly we can render to our patrons a statement of their account in the latest and most improved form.

We are insured against burglary and have a guaranteed burglar and fire proof safe.

We solicit all accounts, both large and small. \$100 will start an account with us. Farmers' and merchants' accounts especially solicited.

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THE Government has said that Holiday business must be conducted so as to avoid the usual December congestion. The Government has taken official cognizance of the situation and would have dealers know the importance of carrying on their holiday business this year strictly in accordance with official requirements.

The Government desires that Christmas gifts be more along the line of "practical" goods than usual. The children are to have their play things as usual. But in the gifts for older people the Government desires that the useful be substituted for the purely ornamental.

The Government desires people to buy wisely and to give gifts that cannot in any way be construed as representing a waste of money.

We are trying to live up to Uncle Sam's request and ask your co-operation.

ONCE AGAIN  
PEACE,  
HAPPINESS  
AND PROSPERITY

is the hearty good wish to all our friends and patrons

Assets \$5,000,000.00  
**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
(Organized 1865)

The Old, Big, Strong Bank  
PAYS INTEREST ON DEPOSITS AT THE RATE OF  
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E. P. MILLER, President, GILES H. MILLER, Cashier  
ERNEST WILLIAMS, V. President  
J. D. OWEN, Asst. Cashier.

The First National Bank  
OF LYNCHBURG.

For the past fifteen years I have been in the mercantile business I have been under the conviction that every customer, regardless of color, race, social or financial standing, should be treated alike, so far as business is concerned. My only solution of this is to conduct a ONE-PRICE CASH - AND - CARRY STORE, which plan I adopted on Jan. 1, 1919.

Beginning on that date we will, as soon as we can consistently do so, mark our stock down about 10 per cent and we positively will not cut the price (except to merchants buying for stock, in which case we will give 10 per cent discount and we reserve the right to limit the quantity under any circumstances. (Mail orders will be sent c. o. d., and goods bought on approval must be paid for and money returned when goods are returned.) Nor will we deliver any order free—orders in town will be delivered for 25c; orders in country will be delivered for 50c per mile.

Now, we appreciate the fact that our new plan may be inconvenient to you at first; but we believe you will like it when you have realized the numerous benefits derived from it.

In buying from a merchant who sells on credit and at inflated prices and delivers in town free, you pay bookkeeping, delivery, postage, stationery used in handling your order, interest on money borrowed by the merchant to enable him to do a credit business. You pay the fellow's bill who won't pay it himself. You discount and special prices are given to some customers and about 90 per cent of the delivery is paid by customers who receive no benefit from it. These are paid indirectly and are probably necessary in a credit business. But all these will be eliminated in our new plan.

Try paying cash and watch your bank account grow. Country produce will be taken as cash. Coupon Liberty Bonds will be taken on accounts now on purchase.

We thank you for your liberal patronage in the past and ask a share of it under our new plan.

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It's Patriotism to patronize home industry. Give office your Job Printing.

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## APPOMATTOX.

INTERESTING STORIES ABOUT  
HOTIE POLKS.

Our Correspondents Relate the News of the County

Garratte-Carlson  
At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Volin Carlson on Dec. 19th at high noon, was the scene of one of the most beautiful home weddings of the season when their niece, Ethel Carlson, became the bride of Mr. Percy Garratte of Vera. The parlor, dining room and library, had been beautifully decorated for the occasion by the artistic hand of Mrs. Pernice Chick assisted by Miss Susie Davidson. The color scheme being pink and white. The parlor in which the couple took the solemn oath had been elaborately decorated in similar colors, and the rooms had been darkened. The dining room in holly and running cedar was a scene of beauty with its table, which reached the whole length of the room, lavishly groined under its load of everything delicious an old Virginia dinner could consist of. The library was in pink roses and space.

Promptly at twelve o'clock the couple joined in the library and the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march led them down through the hall as follows:

Miss Lucile Lee wearing a costume of silk and motor and pink accessories with Mr. Melvin Childress, then came Miss Ruby Chick wearing hand embroidered mail with pink, with Mr. Adrian Carlson, next the maid of honor and best man, Miss Lillian Garratte and Mr. Howell Martin; Miss Garratte was gowning in a dress of white. Georgette crepe over white satin, her flowers a showy bouquet of maiden hair ferns and carnations. They came slowly down an aisle joined by their attendants to an arch from which hung a huge bell under which the young couple sealed their sacred vows.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Rice, of Appomattox. Davidson played a softly flowing air on the organ. After congratulations the party was ushered to the dining room where the sumptuous dinner was served by special trained waiters, after which the bride cake was cut, which afforded much merriment, the bride getting the lucky 10¢ piece.

The bride and groom with their attendants then drove to Appomattox to take the western tour about it. I will close, as it is about meal time.

I guess I will get lots of mail from you and Lucile as they return to my company and I guess it will be the end of the month when I get back. A trip like this is certainly worth a whole lot to the soldier, as we have good places to stay and good food. This town is just full of hotels. It was some kind of a resort for the wealthy people. The town is all decorated with flags and I guess the towns in the States are the same way.

I sent Lucile a cablegram a few days ago. I guess she has written you about it. I will close, as it is about meal time and I don't want to miss anything to eat. I am enclosing a picture which was taken in front of the hotel I am stopping at. I am the one standing with the cap on, if you cannot pick me out.

From P. H. Rexford L. Martin to his father, Robert W. Martin.

My dear Father:  
I will try and write you a few lines to let you know I am well and getting along nicely. I am back out of the line now and am making a good rest. It is quite chilly here now but we have a real warm place to live and I get very good sleep. I am back out of the line now and am making a good rest. It is quite chilly here now but we have a real warm place to live and I get very good sleep.

I have been over a good bit of France since I have been here and some parts are real pretty and some are real ugly. I have also been to Paris, France, Nov. 24.

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## APPOMATTOX, VIRGINIA, JANUARY 1, 1919.

JOB WORK A SPECIALTY  
\$1.00 PER ANNUM

It is "Some" place, but I have never seen any place that comes up to old U. S. A. I have been in the line several times and over the top twice and never got a scratch or any gas; but I know what it is like, any way. I must have been one of the lucky ones. I am proud to say, I could have gotten lots of souvenirs, but I didn't care for them at all. I may buy a few off of these French made to bring home to my wife, but I don't know if I can get hold of a few francs to buy with. We boys have lots of fun sometimes with the French; we can't talk to or understand them, so it is all the same with us. Thursday is Thanksgiving; I would love to spend it with you all, but a little too far away, but I hope you will have a nice Thanksgiving and a merry Xmas, and I hope it won't be long before I can join you.

I guess all the boys are back from the camp by now. I hope the day will soon come when we will be coming back too. Well, as I have nothing more to write this time, I will have to close. You all write when ever you can. With love to Mother and all the rest, I am, as ever,  
Your son.

From P. Frank Lee Coleman to his mother, Mrs. W. T. Coleman.

My dear Mother:  
I will write again to let you know I am well; hope you are the same. But I will write and hope you get my letters, as I know you are anxious to hear from me. I know you have heard of the Armistice; and now I hope this great war is over, for it is what I have been praying for for a long time. I hope you have heard of the Armistice; and now I hope this great war is over, for it is what I have been praying for for a long time.

We are getting on all right over here, and I hope it will not be long before I can see you all again. I have not seen anyone that I know except one of the Fulcher boys. Leonard Fulcher has been over here a good while. I like over here very much, but I think this part of the country is about one hundred years behind time. I have lots to tell you when I get back. I hope you will have a good Xmas this year and I will have mine when I get home.

I spent a pleasant day the 30th of November on the seashore and had a good dinner at the hotel. I like better now than I did at first. We are having some cold weather now and it rains about half of the time. I was paid up the other day for my money with me, for I have need of it. How are papa and Willie getting on with the work? I hope the crops are good this year.

I hope it will not be long before we will be ready to sail back to U. S. A., and the time can't come too quickly for me. I am getting on all right over here; but there is no place like home. I think of you very day and wonder if you have heard from me. Now, mother, don't be worried about me; I am getting on as well as any one over here. With love and good wishes to all,  
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## Valley of Great Natural Wealth.

The largest river emptying into the Pacific within the confines of Peru is the Santa, which waters the valley of Chimbote, and is capable of supplying power to many industries and water for the irrigation of a vast area. In the Santa valley there exist extensive coal deposits. The coal found here is anthracite, and is said to be of a good quality for the manufacture of briquets.

Innocence No Guard.  
A southern newspaper contains the following item: "Joe Odom was acquitted of violating the prohibition law, and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 or serve three months in hard labor; the balance of the fine to be suspended during good behavior upon payment of \$50." We shudder to think of what might have been inflicted upon Joe had he been convicted instead of acquitted.—Case and Comment.

How's This?  
We offer one Buckle's Remedy for the cure of Chills that cannot be cured by other means. It is a powerful medicine, and is said to be a cure for all fevers, chills, and other ailments. It is a powerful medicine, and is said to be a cure for all fevers, chills, and other ailments.

Voluntary Basis of Food Saving  
Showed Heart of America  
Beat True for Freedom.

To the voluntary service and sacrifice of the American people must be attributed the continued health, strength and morale of the Allied armies and the civil populace. Upon this spirit of service and sacrifice will depend Europe's fate in the months to come. In the past year we have carried out an export program of food to Europe in the amount of 1,000,000 tons, most of which has been sent to Europe in the form of foodstuffs, and it is this foodstuffs that have kept the European people from starvation.

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